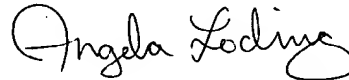


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AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 1.312

The above-identified application has been carefully reviewed prior to the payment of the Issue Fee. It is requested that the following amendment be entered under the provisions of Rule 312.

Amendments to Specification are reflected below which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.